## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSATRACT

Public Servants - Transport Department - Certain irregularities in remittance of daily cash in the MVI Unit Office, Jagitial, Karimnagar District - Departmental proceedings initiated against Sri P.Sriramulu, Regional Transport Officer (now retired) and others - Final orders issued - Proposed to revise the orders - Show cause notices issued - O.As. filed against the Show cause notices - O.As. Allowed - Rescinding of the impugned show cause notices - Orders - Issued.

TRANSPORT, ROADS & BUILDINGS (VIG.III.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 523

Dated 21.5.2013. Read the following:-

- 1) Charge Memo.No.9258(3)/V1/2003, Dated 5.3.2004 of Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad
- 2) Written statements of defence submitted by Sri P. Sriramulu and Sri B.Manohar.
- 3) Proceedings of Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad R.No.9258/V1/ 2003, Dated 31.12.2004.
- 4) From the Enquiry Officer Report R.No.JTC/RTA/ Hyd Dated 15.4.2005.
- 5) Proceedings of Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad R.No.9258/V1/2003, Dated 12.5.2005.
- 6) Govt.Memo.No.9428/Vig.III/1/2005-17 & 29 TR&B Deptt., Dated 14.6.2010 and 10.6.2011.
- 7) Common orders of the Hon'ble Tribunal in O.A.Nos. 2951/2010, 2420/2010, 6054/2010 and batch filed by Sri P.Sriramulu, B.Manohar and others.
- 8) From the Transport Commissioner, Lr.No. 9258/V4/2003, Dt. 26.03.2013.

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## ORDER:

On the allegation of irregularities in remittance of daily cash in the MVI Unit Office, Jagitial, Karimnagar District, Disciplinary proceedings have been initiated against Sri P.Sriramulu the then Motor Vehicles Inspector and now retired as Regional Transport Officer, Sri B. Manohar, Motor Vehicles Inspector (now retired) along with (12) others and a detailed enquiry under sub rule (5) of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 was conducted against all the (14) charged officers.

- 2. In his letter 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the Inquiring Authority submitted his report. After examining the said enquiry report the Transport Commissioner has issued final orders dropping further action against Sri P.Sriramulu and Sri B. Manohar and (4) others. In respect of the remaining charged officers, the Transport Commissioner imposed certain punishments.
- 3. Certain charged officers against whom punishments were imposed, have filed appeals before the Government. During examination of the appeals, the Government have observed that Government money has been misused by producing fake challans which

is a serious matter and the punishment imposed on them is actually too less as they are involved in misappropriation by producing fake challans etc. and to examine the issue in all aspects including on the lines of G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration Department, Dated 4.1.1999 (dealing with dismissal in such cases) and decided to revise the final orders issued by the Transport Commissioner under Rule 40 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

- 4. Accordingly, in the Memo. 6<sup>th</sup> read above, show cause notices as to why the orders issued in the Proceedings 5<sup>th</sup> cited should not be revised under Rule 40 of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991 duly invoking the provision of the Revised Pension Rules, 1980 were issued on Sri P. Sriramulu and Sri B.Manohar along with others.
- 5. Against the said show cause notices, Sri P.Sriramulu, Sri B.Manohar and others have filed O.A.Nos.2951/2010, 6054/2010, 2410/2010 and batch.
- 6. The Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal in its common orders 7<sup>th</sup> read above has set aside the impugned orders and also directed to release the pension and pensionary benefits to the applicants who retired from service.
- 7. Government after careful examination of the common orders of Hon'ble Tribunal 7<sup>th</sup> read above decided to implement the orders and to release the pensionary benefits to the applicants.
- 8. Accordingly, Government hereby rescind the Show cause notices issued in the Memo.  $6^{th}$  read above and order to release the pension and pensionary benefits to Sri P. Sriramulu, now retired as Regional Transport Officer and Sri B.Manohar, Motor Vehicles Inspector (now retired).
- 9. The Transport Commissioner shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

D. LAKSHMI PARTHASARATHY, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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Sri P.Sriramulu, Regional Transport Officer (Retd), Sri B.Manohar, Motor Vehicles Inspector (Retd.) through the Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad. SF/SC

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER.